

REPORT

FROM

THE SECRETARY OF STATE,

TRANSMITTING

*Statements showing the incidental and contingent expenses of that department for the year ending November 30, 1839.*

DECEMBER 24, 1839.

Read, and ordered to be printed

DEPARTMENT OF STATE,

Washington, December 5, 1839.

SIR: I have the honor to transmit to you, to be laid before the Senate, in compliance with the second section of the act making appropriations for the civil and diplomatic expenses of Government for the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty six, statements of the expenditures paid at this department during the year ending on the 30th day of November last, from the following funds, viz: The incidental and contingent expenses of the Department of State, including the publication and distribution of the laws; the contingent expenses of the northeast Executive building, including fuel, labor, oil, and repairs; the contingent expenses of foreign intercourse; and the contingent expenses of all the missions abroad; together with abstracts of accounts for contingent expenses of this department; contingent expenses of foreign intercourse; and contingent expenses of all the missions abroad, not included in the above, for which accounts have been received at the office of the Fifth Auditor during the same period.

I have the honor to be, sir, your obedient servant,

JOHN FORSYTH.

The PRESIDENT of the Senate.

Blair & Rives, printers.

*Statement of expenditures from the fund for incidental and contingent expenses of the Department of State, including the expense of publishing and distributing the laws, from the 1st of December, 1838, to the 30th of November, 1839, inclusive.*

Date.	To whom paid.	Articles purchased or paid for.	Amount.	Total.
1838.				
Dec. 1	John G. Adams -	Postages on letters to agent in October and November	-	\$1 28
	J. V. N. Throop -	30 pieces prepared parchment, at \$1 25 -	\$37 50	
		103 impressions, commissions of attorneys and marshals and of consuls - - -	8 24	
				45 74
	M. A. Shaaff -	Copying correspondence with Russian Government, respecting renewal of 4th article of convention of 1824 :		
		17,745 words English - - -	17 74	
		4,180 words French - - -	6 27	
				24 01
2	Ferguson & Eaton -	Publishing laws, &c., 1st session, 25th Congress -	-	14 50
4	Th. W. White -	Volume 4, Southern Literary Messenger -	-	5 00
5	Sam. S. Sibley -	Publishing laws, &c., 1st and 2d sessions, 25th Congress - - -	-	148 00
6	M. A. Shaaff -	Copying report and papers respecting the Smithsonian bequest, 7,525 words - - -	-	7 52
7	M. Lyons -	Copying papers relative to renewal of the 4th article of convention of 1824, 34,525 words -	-	34 52
	J. M. Baker -	Copying, respecting the Smithsonian bequest, 12,640 words - - -	-	12 64
8	J. Harrington -	Publishing laws, &c., 2d session, 25th Congress -	-	133 50
	T. E. Stubbs -	Making 30 fine towels - - -	3 00	
		Making 2 window curtains - - -	50	

		Making 3 carpet cloths	1 50	5 00
	Jas. Clarke & Co.	Publishing laws, &c., 1st and 2d sessions, 25th Congress	-	148 00
10	J. Harrington	Publishing laws, &c., 1st session, 25th Congress	-	14 50
11	John T. Sullivan	1 ream white wove cap, ruled	7 00	
		6 reams large paper, for envelopes	84 00	
		10 pounds fine sealing wax, at \$1 25	12 50	
		1 ream white post, ruled	7 00	
		1 gross steel pens	9 00	
		1 pound India rubber	1 25	
		10 reams blue laid cap, ruled, with stops	90 00	
		10 reams white laid post, satin	65 00	
		5 reams white wove cap, ruled	32 50	
		6 pounds extra scarlet fancy sealing wax	10 50	
12	S. P. Hull	Publishing laws, &c., 2d session, 25th Congress	-	138 75
20	Besancon & Halliday	Publishing laws, &c., 2d session, 25th Congress	-	133 50
	Ramsay & Craighead	Publishing laws, &c., 2d session, 25th Congress	-	133 50
	O. H. Wells	Publishing laws, &c., 2d session, 25th Congress	-	133 50
	T. D. Valcourt	Publishing laws, &c., 1st and 2d sessions, 25th Congress	-	148 00
24	J. Elliott, jr.	18 Congressional Directories	-	4 50
	Proprietors of the New Era	Subscription 1 year, to 17th December, 1838	-	8 00
	Beals & Greene	Publishing notices of deaths of American citizens	-	13 50
	Forsyth & Kibbey	Publishing laws, &c., 2d session, 25th Congress	-	133 50
27	J. S. & S. A. Bagg	Publishing laws, &c., 2d session, 25th Congress, and Indian treaties	-	146 50
28	Rob. C. Carman	Publishing laws, &c., 1st and 2d sessions, 25th Congress	-	148 00

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Date.	To whom paid.	Articles purchased or paid for.	Amount.	Total.
1838.				
Dec. 28	F. J. Murphy	Staying press, &c., 25 cents; wood box, \$1 75 Repairing wood box, 19 cents; packing box, 75 cents	\$2 00 94	133 20 13 20 \$2 94
29	George Templeman	5 pounds twine, \$3 75; 200 quills, \$2; 50 quills, \$1 25		7 00
31	B. Birch	Easing 6 sets of doors, \$1; key to desk, 37½ cents Taking off 2 locks, fitting keys, and putting on Easing doors of 3 cases, 37½ cents; taking off lock and fitting key, 37½ cents Fixing hinges to pine case, and furnishing ring for keys 2 boxes, 24 by 19 inches, 13 deep Easing 2 doors to case 1 box, 29 by 21 inches, 15 deep 50 feet shelves and uprights, 10 feet cleets Putting up 40 feet old shelving, finding nails Furnishing and putting on lock to case	1 37½ 50 75 37½ 3 25 25 1 50 5 37½ 1 75 75	133 20 133 20 133 20 132 80 318 32 15 87
	James Burchenal	21 numbers Library of Useful Knowledge 5 parts maps to Library of Useful Knowledge	3 78 2 50	6 28
	William Clark	Publishing laws, &c., 2d session, 25th Congress	-	133 50
	J. P. Keller	Use of horse, 4th quarter, 1838	-	62 50
	W. H. Prentiss	Packing, &c., 4th quarter, 1838	-	200 00
	S. H. Taylor	Laborer, 4th quarter, 1838	-	90 00
	John Freeman	Laborer, 4th quarter, 1838	-	90 00



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January 2

2	E. H. & C. H. James	Oxalic acid, \$1 25; turpentine, 50 cents; whiting, 6 cents	1 81	
		Sponge, 69 cents; vials, 38 cents; sweet oil, 50 cents; brush, 38 cents	1 95	
		Spanish brown, 6 cents; British lustre, 38 cents	44	
				4 20
3	A. B. Claxton & Co. J. K. Boyd	Subscription to Army and Navy Chronicle, 1 year	-	5 00
		Putting down carpet in Secretary's office	3 00	
		Putting down 10 carpets	20 00	
		Making and putting down 2 carpets	8 75	
		Putting up curtains, 4 rooms	20 00	
		Altering, mending, and putting down carpet	2 50	
				54 25
4	C. Buckingham	Making a ring grate for passage stove	-	1 00
5	R. Martin & Co.	2 numbers American Scenery	-	1 50
	Washington City Post Office	Postages by express mails	-	2 25
	Luther Tucker	Publishing laws 1st and 2d sessions, 25th Congress	-	148 00
5	S. A. Keller	Washing 9½ dozen towels	-	7 31
7	E. Lindsley	Screw driver, 38 cents; nails, 30 cents; 3 extra large hair brooms, \$3 75	4 43	
		Nails, 24 cents; 1 pair andirons, \$6; 1 six-keyed night lock, \$2	8 24	
				12 67
10	J. M. Baker	Translating and copying returns from consuls in the Turkish Dominions	-	16 46
	W. Harris	Porterage, getting boxes, and removing stove	-	62
	James Loudon	4 penknife hones	-	1 00
11	Smith & Fulton	Subscription to the Potomac Advocate	-	3 00
12	Mifflin & Parry	Subscription to the Pennsylvanian	-	8 00
14	J. M. Baker	Copying returns consul at Salonica	-	10 67

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1839.				
Jan. 14	William Handy -	Copying returns consul at Smyrna -	-	\$46 92
	J. P. Keller -	Paid carriers of newspapers -	-	2 50
15	Weeks, Jordan, & Co. -	American Jurist, Nos. 33 to 36, inclusive -	-	5 00
17	P. Allen & Son -	Publishing laws, &c., 2d session, 25th Congress -	-	133 50
19	Langtree & O'Sullivan -	United States Magazine and Democratic Review -	-	4 00
	Boston Free Press Comp'y	Boston Daily Advocate -	-	4 75
	Jno. M. Baker -	Copying correspondence consul at Smyrna -	-	13 00
22	M. A. Shaaff -	Copying correspondence chargé d'affaires and consuls at Turkey -	-	23 03
23	William Handy -	Copying correspondence chargé d'affaires and consuls at Turkey -	-	8 26
24	Otis, Broaders, & Co. -	North American Review, 1838 -	-	5 00
	B. H. Green -	Boston Quarterly Review, vols. 1 and 2 -	-	6 00
	Garret Anderson -	4 cards pens, \$3; 10 do. Kershaw's, \$5 83 -	\$8 83	
		1 piece India Ink, 75 cts; 1 Roberts's Embassy, \$2 -	2 75	
		4 bottles ink, \$1 50; 1 Mitchell's Compendium \$1 50 -	3 00	
		1 Downing's China, Alexandria, Africa -	3 00	
				17 58
25	Welsh & Plowman -	Publishing laws, &c., 2d session, 25th Congress, and Indian treaties -	-	144 50
26	John A. Blake -	Binding 6 vols. British Documents, half Russia -	15 00	
		Binding 1 Littell's Museum; 1 vol. laws Pennsylvania, half calf -	1 25	
		Binding 1 vol. Republic of Colombia -	50	
		Binding 1 vol. laws of Maryland, full calf -	1 00	
		Binding 1 vol. Guia de Cuba, 50 cts.; 2 vols. Southern		

Mar.	30	Wm. H. Brown & Co.	Literary Messenger, \$1 50	2 00	
	31	Wm. H. Brown & Co.	Binding 1 vol. American Scenery, half calf, extra	1 00	
			Binding 5 vols. London Port Folio, half Russia	3 75	
	31	T. H. Brown	Binding 13 vols. American Almanac, 1839	3 25	
			Binding 1 vol. Diplomatic Letters, MS., full calf	3 50	
			Making 1 index, 3 quires, 4to. morocco labels	3 00	
	30	Wm. H. Brown & Co.	Making 1 index, half cap	50	
	18	Wm. H. Brown & Co.	Binding 4 books, copying paper, furnishing indices for them, at \$2	8 00	
	19	Wm. H. Brown & Co.	Making 6 index books, 3 quires each, red and faint ruled	13 50	
	18	Wm. H. Brown & Co.	Making 1 index book, 2 quires, morocco alphabet	2 50	
			Making 6 index books, 2½ quires each	11 50	
	12	T. H. Brown	Binding 160 vols. Letters, cap size	} 280 00	}
	13	T. H. Brown	Binding 4 vols. Letters, folio post		
			Extra lettering on 96 vols.	24 00	
	14	Wm. H. Brown & Co.	6 reams double cap, used for guards to equalize	27 00	
			Ruling 2½ reams for indices	2 50	
			Binding Intelligencer and Globe, 2d part, 1838	5 00	
					419 75
	28	George McDuell	Cartage of box shipped for New Orleans	-	50
	30	C. P. Sengstack	Painting wood box (maple)	-	1 00
	31	C. Woodward	2 coal stoves for 2d story passage, \$28; 2 russ elbows \$2 36	30 36	
			Fitting up stove and pipe, \$1 50; cartage 25 cts.	1 75	
			Making 2 elbows, 50 cts.; tinning under stove, \$2	2 50	
			Russia iron fire board, 15 pounds, \$5 62 cts.; taking down grate, \$1 50	7 12	
			Russia iron pan, \$1 25; 1 Franklin stove, \$20	21 25	
			Pipe for stove, \$1; Russia iron fire board, 16 pounds, \$6	7 00	
			2 Russia iron coal hods, \$3; 20 firebricks, \$1 25	4 25	

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1839.				
Jan. 31	C. Woodward	Back slab for grate Large elbow for Franklin, 14 pounds Elbow, 50 cts.; 2 tin screens for stoves, \$6	\$1 50 3 50 6 50	\$85 73
Feb. 1	Worthington & Lester	Publishing laws, &c. 1st and 2d session, 25th Congress	—	148 00
	J. G. Adams	Postages on letters to agent	—	1 17
	C. L. Colman	Rumfordering fire place, including materials Arch bar, \$1 47; plastering, \$1	8 50 2 47	10 97
4	W. E. Woodruffe	Publishing laws, &c., 2d session, 25th Congress, and Indian treaty	— —	137 50
9	J. M. Martin	Publishing laws, &c., 1st session, 25th Congress	—	14 50
	M. A. Shaaff	Copying papers relating to the destruction of the steam- boat Caroline	— —	16 75
12	Steamboat J. Johnson	Freight and cartage on 28 boxes documents	—	4 00
	Jos. Justice	Publishing laws, &c., 2d session, 25th Congress	—	133 50
14	D. H. Richards	Publishing laws, &c., 2d session, 25th Congress	—	133 50
15	Guien & Thompson	Publishing laws, &c., 1st and 2d session, 25th Congress	—	148 00
18	Juliet M. Scott	Copying relative to consulate at Montevideo	—	5 37
20	E. H. Roper & Co.	Repairing lock and fitting key	—	62
	N. L. Foster	1 set Encyclopædia of Geography	—	10 50
	J. B. Longacre	4th volume National Portrait Gallery	—	10 00
21	M. Lyons	Copying relative to steamboat Caroline, and wrecked slaves	— —	38 48
27	Hale & Halleck	Subscription to Journal of Commerce	—	10 00
28	Weeks, Jordan, & Co.	Illustrated Atlas	—	40 00

Mar.	1	Campbell & Coyle	-	2½ pairs brass candlesticks, \$4 37½; 1½ do. \$1 31½	-	5 69
		Sarah E Jones	-	Copying documents from Maine, and from Minister at London	-	6 61
	4	C. Hubbell	-	Richardson's Dictionary	-	20 00
	6	Jesse Hoyt	-	Freight, cartage, storage, &c., on 3 boxes	-	4 50
		Balt. & Ohio R. R. Comp'y	-	Transportation charges and cartage on 2 boxes	-	9 72
	7	J. M. Lewer	-	1 year 4 months, Foreign Quarterly	3 00	
			-	1 year, Metropolitan and Blackwood's Edinburgh Magazine	8 00	
			-			11 00
		M. A. Shaaff	-	Copying relating to wrecked slaves and Mexican affairs	-	18 30
	11	M. Lyons	-	Copying relating to Mexican affairs, Northeastern boundary, and tobacco	-	47 21
	12	A. Garrett	-	Subscription to Maryland Free Press	-	84
	12	J. Hoyt	-	Freight and charges on 1 box	-	2 65
	13	E. Dyer	-	1 dozen cane seat chairs	-	25 00
	19	R. Martin & Co.	-	2 numbers American Scenery	-	1 50
	28	J. Kennedy	-	Littell's Museum, July to November, 1838	-	2 50
April	1	Smith & Fulton	-	Subscription to Potomac Advocate	-	1 50
		S. A. Keller	-	Washing 9 dozen towels	-	6 75
		J. P. Keller	-	Use of horse from 1st January to 18th March	-	53 47
		S. H. Taylor	-	Laborer's wages from 1st January to 18th March	-	77 42
		John Freeman	-	Laborer's wages 1st quarter, 1839	-	90 00
		W. H. Prentiss	-	Packing, &c., 1st quarter, 1839	-	200 00
		F. S. Myer	-	Advertising for proposals for printing, &c.	-	33 00
	2	J. G. Adams	-	Postages on letters to agent	-	24
	3	Schooner Edward Vincent	-	Freight and cartage on box from New York	-	1 00
		George Templeman	-	5 pound twine, \$3 75; 200 quills, \$2; 50 quills, \$1 25	7 00	
			-	600 quills, \$6; 1 copy Military Laws U. S., \$3	9 00	
			-			16 00
	4	Baltimore & O. Railroad Co.	-	Transportation, charges, and cartage on box	-	2 33



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1839.				
April 4	John Russell -	Publishing laws, &c. 2d session, 25th Congress -	-	\$133 50
5	William Fischer -	4 quires bills lading, \$3; 3 packs blank cards, 60 cents	\$3 60	
		6 cards pens, \$4; 1 do. large, 75 cents; 1 do. Constitution, 75 cents -	5 50	
		1 card Union pens. 62 cents; 1 do. Ladies, 62 cents; 1 do. Gillott's, 50 cents -	1 75	
		1 card Harwood's pens, 50 cents; 12 Congressional Directories, \$3 -	3 50	
		1 Diary, 75 cents; 6 cut glass inkstands, \$4 50 -	5 25	
				19 60
6	J. P. Keller -	Horse, saddle, bridle, halter, currycomb, brush, and bucket, (for messenger) -	-	100 00
8	William Orme -	32 $\frac{3}{4}$ pound sperm candles, at 40 cents; box, 25 cents -	13 35	
		1 Russian bowl -	31	
				13 66
10	J. D. James & Co. -	2 painted buckets -	-	1 00
11	Thomas Ritchie -	Subscription to Richmond Enquirer -	-	5 00
13	M. Shanks -	2 extra large blue basons; 3 ewers -	4 37 $\frac{1}{2}$	
		6 blue spittoons, \$5 25; 4 Russian bowls, \$3 -	8 25	
		1 small lamp -	25	
				12 87
	Gales & Seaton -	Advertising for proposals for printing, &c. -	-	42 25
	F. Masi & Co. -	Repairing clock, 2 springs, and repairing scapement -	5 00	
		Repairing time piece, new spring, and pendulum spring -	7 00	
				12 00
	D. Clagett -	30 yards B. E. diaper, \$13 20; 2 spools cotton, 12 cts.	13 32	

			18 yards figured baize, \$15 75; 3 pieces binding, \$3	18 75	
			150 yards matting	75 00	
					107 07
15	J. T. Sullivan	-	6 cards pens, \$4 50; 12 dozen pens, \$9; (January)	13 50	
		-	1 dozen fluid, \$9; 2 bottles fluid, \$2; (March 3)	11 00	
					24 50
19	M. Shanks	-	1 dozen cut tumblers	-	3 00
25	E. H. Roper	-	Taking off library lock, fitting key, front plate and knob screw, \$1 38; rod and eyes for curtain, 75 cts.	-	2 13
29	English, Brown, & Lindsey	-	Publishing laws, &c., 2d session, 25th Congress	-	133 50
May 3	Thomas Watson & Son	-	Publishing laws, &c., 2d session, 25th Congress	-	133 50
	J. M. Rush	-	Compiling index to laws, 3d session, 25th Congress	-	150 00
4	F. S. Myer	-	Printing 5 reams lists ministers, &c., 16 pages print	-	45 00
6	Balt. & Ohio R R Compa'y	-	Transportation, charges, and cartage on box	-	3 43
7	J. A. Blake	-	Arranging for binding 70 vols. Consular papers (1836)	-	60 00
		-	5 weeks services	-	5 25
	M. Shanks	-	Stone jar, painted cedar tub and spigot	-	1 25
8	Sch. Edward Vincent	-	Freight and cartage on box from New York	-	1 50
14	R. Martin & Co.	-	Numbers 20 and 21 American Scenery	-	1 12
	Thomas Gorman	-	Porterage on boxes laws	-	81 00
15	John C. Haswell	-	Publishing laws, 3d session, 25th Congress	-	13 00
	Lea & Blanchard	-	Encyclopædia of Geography	-	
17	L. Johnson	-	Stereotyping laws, &c., 3d sess., 25th Con., 216 pages	378 00	
		-	Stereotyping cover for do.	1 75	
		-	Alterations from copy in index	60	
		-	Alterations from proofs read at department	9 00	
		-	7 boxes for plates	4 20	
		-	Printing 11,000 copies, 23 half sheets at \$40 37	1,130 36	
		-	Printing 11,000 covers, 44 tokens at 50 cents	22 00	
		-	Binding 11,000 copies at 4 cents	440 00	
					1,985 91

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1839.				
May 20	S. Kirby - - -	Castors on table, \$2; drawers to table, \$5 - -	\$7 00	
		3 mahogany boxes, \$6; repairing chairs, \$1 50 -	7 50	
		A knob and putting lock on desk - - -	75	
		1 mahogany arm chair, \$18; 1 covered desk, \$10 -	28 00	
		Covering and repairing desk, \$4; splicing, easing and listing 37 doors, \$10 - - -	14 00	
		1 mahogany case, \$14; turning cloth on desk, \$1 50	15 50	
		Cleaning and varnishing desk, \$2 50; castor on chair, 75 cents; pen box, 50 cents - - -	3 75	
		Hair cloth on chair, \$1; varnishing 14 cases, \$28 -	29 00	
		Varnishing 18 small pieces, \$13 50; repairing table 75 cents - - -	14 25	
		Cloth on ladder, 25 cents; varnishing 7 cases, \$14 -	14 25	
		Varnishing 6 small pieces - - -	4 50	
				\$138 50
	F. G. Comstock - - -	4 volumes Silk Culturist - - -	-	4 00
21	B. Chambers - - -	3 steel letter stamps, \$15; 1 Fac Simile, \$10 -	-	25 00
22	John Burk - - -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	81 00
23	Holden & Appleton - -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	81 00
24	J. K. Boyd - - -	Repairing 2 chairs, mahogany, mak'g 2 cush's for same	10 75	
		Repairing 1 chair - - -	4 62	
		Fitting 200 yards matting in passage - - -	25 00	
		Taking up oil cloth - - -	8 00	
		6 hands 2 days putting oil cloth on stairway -	24 00	
		6 sheets brass for steps - - -	3 00	
		Taking up and cleaning 13 carpets - - -	26 00	

			Taking down, cleaning, and packing curtains 4 rooms	15 00	116 37
25	Blair & Rives	-	82 copies Globe to publishers of the laws, 3d session, 25th Congress, $\frac{1}{8}$ year	-	102 50
28	Abner Greenleaf, jr.	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	81 00
	Michael Shanks	-	Repairing and painting water bucket, \$1 25; new spigot, 25 cents	1 50	
		-	Large stone water jug	2 50	
	J. Burchenal	-	Library of Useful Knowledge, Nos. 235 to 248	-	4 00
30	John G. McLain	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	1 31
31	Thomas Phillips	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	81 00
June 1	J. G. Adams	-	Postages to agent, April and May	-	56
	Lewis Johnson	-	1 doz. rose soap, \$3; $\frac{1}{2}$ doz. packages windsor, \$1 75	4 75	
		-	1 doz. scissors, \$5; 50 large needles, 25 cents	5 25	
	Charles G. Sholes	-	Publishing laws, &c., 2d session, 25th Congress	-	10 00
	John R. Reding	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	133 50
4	Mifflin & Parry	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	81 00
	Timothy B. Crowell	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	81 00
	W. H. Bullock	-	Advertising notice of commission between the United States and the Two Sicilies	3 94	
		-	Advertising death of Jacob E. Starr	1 50	
5	Thomas B. English	-	Publishing laws, &c., 1st session, 25th Congress	-	5 41
10	Rigney & McLanahan	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	14 50
	T. E. Stubbs	-	Making 4 green baize carpet cloths	2 00	81 00
		-	Making 1 large curtain for case, finding rings, &c.	1 00	
11	Cyrus Barton	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	3 00
	Dawson & Fisher	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	81 00
		-		-	81 00

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1839.				
June 11	Charles C. Little & Co. -	American Jurist, 1838 -	-	\$5 00
12	George W. Sherwood -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	81 00
13	John S. McCracken -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	81 00
	H. B. Grigsby -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	81 00
20	Thomas Loring -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	81 00
	Joel M. Smith -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	81 00
	Pray & Thompson -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	81 00
	Gad S. Gilbert -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	81 00
	Croswell, Van Benthuysen & Burt -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	81 00
21	E. P. Gardiner -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	81 00
22	J. S. & S. A. Bagg -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	80 50
	C. P. Sengstack -	Painting 3 jambs of fire places, 2 coats black -	\$2 25	
		Glazing case, 1 light 18 by 24 -	1 75	
		Lettering 2 mail bags -	1 50	
				5 50
24	E. H. Roper -	6 plates for cases, 75 cents ; 2 hasps, &c., \$1 -	-	1 75
	Philip Woodson, jr. -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	81 00
	George R. Weber -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	81 00
	Luther Tucker -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	81 00
June 26	William M. Morrison -	Cooper's Naval History -	4 50	
		Freight of parcel from Philadelphia -	50	
				5 00
28	Blair & Rives -	Four copies daily Globe -	-	40 00
	Daniel Bradford -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	81 00
	Hale & Eaton -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	81 00



July	29	H. Gilbert	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	-	81 00
		Schooner Susan	-	Freight on 27 boxes documents	-	-	13 50
		Grant Fitch	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	-	81 00
		J. N. Harker	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	-	81 00
	30	John S. C. Knowlton	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	-	81 00
		John Freeman	-	Laborer, wages 2d quarter	-	-	90 00
		Richard Harrison	-	Laborer, wages from 3d April to 30th June, inclusive	-	-	88 00
		W. H. Prentiss	-	Packing, &c., for 2d quarter	-	-	200 00
	1	J. G. Adams	-	Postages to agent for June	-	-	1 06
		Darius Claggett	-	50 yards matting, at 50 cents	-	25 00	
			-	8½ yards brown French linen, \$3 09; thread 12 cents	-	3 21	
			-	2 pounds thread, \$2 50; 50 yards burlap, \$7 50	-	10 00	
	3		-	1 yard baize	-	1 00	
			-		-		39 21
		S. A. Keller	-	Washing 9½ dozen towels	-	-	7 12
		J. P. Keller	-	Expenses incurred for maintenance of horse from 18th March to 30th June, viz:	-	-	
	3		-	Rent of stable, \$9 29; hire of boy, \$10 50; oats, \$13 57	-	33 36	
			-	Shoeing, \$2 62; hay, \$10; rye straw, \$7 50	-	20 12	
	3	Baltimore & O. Railroad Co.	-	Transportation and charges, box from New York	-	-	53 48
		J. E. Thompson	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	-	2 25
	5	Stanton & Cruikshanks	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	-	81 00
		J. Livingston	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress, and Indian treaty	-	-	81 00
	6	R. Martin & Co.	-	American Scenery, Nos. 22 and 23	-	-	87 50
		Callahan & Tilly	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	-	1 50
		Welsh and Plowman	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	-	81 00
		John A. Blake	-	1 blank book, 4 qrs. demy, red and faint lined, full bound in fair calf, Russia ends and bands, spring back	-	9 00	81 00

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Date.	To whom paid.	Articles purchased or paid for.	Amount.	Total.
1839.				
July 6	John A. Blake -	Binding Receipts and Expenditures of 1837 -	\$0 50	
		Do. 10 vols., daily newspapers of 1838 -	40 00	
		Do. 19 vols., daily newspapers, half years -	47 50	
		Do. 4 vols., Bills and Resolutions, 2d and 3d sessions, 25th Congress -	10 00	
		Do. 1 vol., Bills and Resolutions, 1st session, 25th Congress -	1 00	
				\$108 00
	George H. McDuell -	Carriage of mails of department to and from post office from 8th to 30th June -	-	9 53
8	T. DeValcourt -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session 25th Congress, (less postage) -	-	80 75
	J. C. D. Douglass -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	81 00
9	E. D. Morgan -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	81 00
11	W. B. Anderson -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	81 00
12	Robert Cawthon -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	81 00
	Guien & Thompson -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	81 00
15	Noonan & Sholes -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	81 00
	Schooner J. W. Caldwell -	Freight to Philadelphia, 23 boxes documents, \$11 50; storage and wharfage, \$1 61 -	-	13 11
16	Worthington & Lester -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress, (less postage) -	-	80 50
17	Edward Cole -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	81 00
	W. H. Prentiss -	Expenses to Alexandria, shipping documents -	2 25	
		Marking brushes, 25 cents; lead for marking, 25 cents -	50	
				2 75

		Clem. Woodward -	1 mantel grate, \$20 ; less fire board, relaid, \$2	-	18 00
20		W. S. Derrick -	Expenses incurred in travelling from Washington to Portland, Maine, and back, on the public service	-	84 75
22		W. Canfield & Co. -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	81 00
23		John McKinley -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	81 00
24		Osborn and Baldwin -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	81 00
26		Porter and Naff -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	81 00
		John Hoburg -	Window shade	-	12 00
27		Brown & Lindsay -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	81 00
August 1		John G. Adams -	Postages to agent, in July	-	1 83
2		E. H. Roper -	Key to case lock, 25 cents ; 2 keys and bolt to lock, 75 cents ; 4 keys, \$1	-	2 00
		George H. McDuell -	Cartage and shipping 225 boxes documents	12 50	
			Cartage 6 bags to 2 colleges and 1 library	1 50	
			Freight paid on 1 box, 50 cents ; labor on all, 62 cents	1 12	
		O. H. Wells -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	15 12
3		Gales & Seaton -	3 copies National Intelligencer to 26th August, 1839	-	81 00
5		W. Fry -	National Gazette from 1st Jan. 1837 to 1st July, 1839	-	30 00
8		William Walters -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	20 00
		D. A. Street -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	81 00
10		Conway Whittle -	Freight and drayage paid on documents from Norfolk	-	81 00
12		George Howard -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	2 55
14		Phineas Allen & Son -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	81 00
		George Wolf -	Paid expenses on forwarding 24 boxes documents	-	81 00
		Steamer Columbia -	Freight to Norfolk on 16 boxes documents	-	24 48
17		John A. Blake -	Binding 1 vol. New York Journal of Commerce	5 00	10 75
			Do. 1 vol. Mississippian and Free Press	2 50	
			Do. 2 vols. Missouri Argus and Dem. Free Press	5 00	
			Do. 1 vol. London Morning Chronicle, 1838	5 00	
			Do. 4 vols. Globe, Standard, and Times, (2)	16 00	

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1839.				
August 17	John A. Blake	Binding 2 vols. Noliciose y Lucero, Diario de la Haba.	\$8 00	
		Do. 1 vol. Journal de Debats -	4 00	
		Do. 2 vols. O Nacionel, 1837, 1838 -	8 00	
		Do. 2 vols. Journal de Commercio, 1837, 1838 -	8 00	
		Do. 2 vols. Le National, Galignani's Messenger -	8 00	
		Do. 2 vols. El Araucano, 1837, 1838, Allgemeine Zeitung -	5 00	
		Do. 1 vol. Singapore Chronicle, and Free Press, 1837 and 1838 -	2 50	
		Do. 2 vols. Gaceta Venezuela, Lima papers -	5 00	
		Do. 2 vols. Buenos Ayrean papers, Journal du Soir -	5 00	
		Do. 1 vol. Journal de la Haye, 1837 and 1838 -	2 50	
		Do. 1 vol. El Mercurio de Valparaiso, 1837, 1838 -	3 50	
		Do. 1 vol. Mexican papers, 1837 and 1838 -	3 00	
		Do. 1 vol. El Moniteur Parisien -	2 00	
		Do. 2 vols. Bogota papers, 1837 and 1838, Mexican papers -	4 50	
		Do. 1 vol. Jamaica papers, 1837 and 1838 -	2 00	
		Do. 2 vols. Diario de Governo, 1837 and 1838 -	8 00	
		Do. 2 vols. Lisbon Mail, 1837 and 1838, El Liberal, 1837 and 1838 -	4 00	
		Do. 2 vols. Boletin Oficial, 1837, Guatemala papers, 1837 and 1838 -	5 00	
		Do. 1 vol. Eco del Comercio, 1837 -	2 50	
		Do. 4 vols. Diario, 1837, Mexican papers, 1837-'38 -	5 50	
		Do. 3 vols. Allgemeine Zeitung, 1838 -	4 50	

		Do.	2 vols. Guatemala papers, 1836, 1837, 1838	2 50	
		Do.	1 vol. Rio de Janeiro papers, 1837 -	1 00	
		Do.	2 vols. Habana Weekly Report, O Lete de Abril -	2 00	
		Do.	2 vols. Moniteur Universel -	8 00	
		Do.	2 vols. Reductor Peruano, El Concise -	3 50	
					\$151 00
	Philip Miller	-	Removing a stove -		38
19	J. G. McLain	-	Publishing laws, &c., 1st session, 25th Congress -		14 50
21	Lynde Elliot	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress, (less postage) -		80 50
	James Clarke & Co.	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -		81 00
	Mitchell & Burr	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -		81 00
22	S. & M. H. Medary	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -		81 00
23	James M. Gould	-	Publishing laws, &c., 1st and 3d sessions, 25th Con- gress, (less postage) -		94 50
28	Russell & Reeves	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -		81 00
30	Richard Shekell	-	Plastering 2 fireplaces, \$2; iron bar for fireplace, \$1 12	3 12	
			Setting 3 grates, \$15; taking down 1 grate, 2 Frank- lin stoves, \$3 -	18 00	
			Repairing 6 grates, \$7 50; repairing 5 fireplaces, \$2 50	10 00	
			102 firebricks and hauling, \$6 87½; 3 fireslabs, \$3 75	10 62½	
			Iron-grate shelf, \$1 50; mortar and hauling, \$3 75	5 25	
			Plastering 5 fireplaces -	7 50	
					54 50
	Robert C. Carman	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -		81 00
31	W. C. Bryant & Co.	-	Advertising deaths of American citizens -		3 50
Sept. 2	J. G. Adams	-	Postages to agent -		2 23
	E. H. Roper	-	Making small key and altering 6 keys -		1 00
4	Balaam Birch	-	Moving set of cases from the attic -	50	
			16 clefts and shelves in cases -	4 00	



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1839.				
Sept. 4	Balaam Birch	Regulating 12 shelves in case, and easing doors	\$0 75	
		Fitting keys to 2, and putting on 4 locks	1 25	
		Putting door and lock to washstand	1 75	
		Easing doors of cases, 75 cents; repairing lid of letter box, 37½ cents	1 12½	
		Moving 3 sets cases from garret, putting in 24 shelves	3 50	
		Screws and screwing cases, 2 hat racks	1 12½	
		Moving and screwing down seal press	50	
30	Richard Spurrell	160 feet cleets, uprights and shelves	14 68	
32	Russell & Hecover	8 scalloped brackets and 2 upright ones for cases, and moving fastenings	4 87½	
33	James M. Gould	Case of 77 pigeon holes, 5 feet 8 by 7 feet 10	21 25	
33	S. & W. H. Medley	6 mahogany rules, \$1 50; box 21 by 17, \$1	2 50	
	Mitchell & Bull	Oiling and putting on 3 locks	50	
	James Clarke & Co.	Plates to locks, and easing doors of 3 cases	87½	
		Making bottom and putting castors to large basket	1 50	
37	George Elliot	Spittoon, 50 cents; box 8 by 10 and 14 inches, 75 cts.	1 25	
10	T. O. McGinn	Putting on 3 locks	75	
	Philip Miller	220 iron bound boxes for documents	302 50	
		50 feet shelves and uprights, \$5 25; lock on case, 25 cts.	5 50	
		Cutting case door and putting on staple	25	
		Fitting keys to, and putting on 4 locks, repairing drawer and slide, and putting on new lock	1 50	
		Covering desk with cloth	4 25	
		Cutting and putting board on case	25	
				\$376 93

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	Beals & Greene	-	Publishing laws, 3d session, 25th Congress	-	81 00
	Smith & Robinson	-	Publishing laws, 3d session, 25th Congress, (less postage)	-	80 50
	Joseph Justice & Son	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	81 00
9	Thomas W. White	-	Subscription for vol. 5 of Southern Literary Messenger	-	5 00
11	R. Martin & Co.	-	Nos. 24 and 25 of American Scenery	-	1 50
	Schooner Alexandria	-	Freight on 37 boxes documents to New York	-	23 12
12	C. P. Sengstack	-	3 labels for consular case	-	75
13	J. N. Cardozo	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	81 00
14	J. G. & T. J. McLain	-	Advertising resolution of the Senate in 1833	-	1 75
16	D. C. Goodale	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	81 00
19	E. H. Roper	-	Drilling hole in saw and repairing iron chest	-	1 12
21	Calvin Gunn	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	81 00
23	C. C. Sholes	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	81 00
24	J. M. Gould	-	Publishing laws, &c., 2d session, 25th Congress	-	133 50
30	Thomas Watson & Son	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	81 00
30	Richard Harrison	-	Wages, 3d quarter, as laborer	-	90 00
	John Freeman	-	Wages, 3d quarter, as laborer	-	90 00
	W. H. Prentiss	-	Packing, &c., 3d quarter	-	200 00
	George H. McDuell	-	Carrying mails to and from Post Office, 3d quarter	-	37 50
	D. Clagett	-	23 $\frac{3}{4}$ yards green merino for curtain, at 75 cents	-	2 00
		-	36 $\frac{1}{2}$ yards ingrain carpet, \$1 20	-	43 80
		-	54 $\frac{1}{2}$ yards three ply carpet, \$1 90	-	103 55
		-	3 pieces binding, \$3; 1 pound thread, \$1 50	-	4 50
					153 85
October 1	John G. Adams	-	Postages to agent	-	79
1838	S. A. Keller	-	Washing towels for 3d quarter	-	7 12
3	S. J. Todd	-	Ice	-	14 00
5	R. Martin & Co.	-	2 numbers American Scenery	-	1 50
7	W. C. Bryant	-	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress	-	81 00
11	Schooner Alexandria	-	Freight 12 boxes to New York, (documents)	-	6 00

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Date.	To whom paid.	Articles purchased or paid for.	Amount.	Total.
1839.				
October 11	F. S. Myer	Printing 5 quires circulars to publishers of laws, 2 pages	\$7 00	
		Printing 4 quires circulars to publishers of laws, 1 page	6 00	
		Printing 1 ream labels, two pages cap, for laws	7 00	
	D. Clagett	Printing 6 quires regulations, 4 pages	9 00	
	George H. McDowell	Printing 12 quires regulations, 2 pages	7 00	
	M. H. Freeman	Printing 1 ream circular to Governors, 1 page	6 00	
	John Freeman	Printing 3 quires circular to Governors, 1 page	6 00	
30	Richard Harrison	Printing 8 quires circular to Governors, 1 page	6 00	
30	Thomas Munson & Son	Printing 1 ream duplicate receipts, 2 pages	7 00	
				\$61 00
17	John Freeman	Wages as laborer 15 days	2 50	14 67
31	G. Rumage	Making 9 baize floor cloths	4 50	
10	E. H. Rober	Making 14 table covers	7 00	
				11 50
14	D. Clagett	44½ yards green baize, (figured)	44 25	
13	T. H. Giddings	1 piece green binding	1 00	
13	C. B. Giddings	129½ yards green cambric, 12½ cents	16 17	
		Sewing silk, 25 cents; thread, 25 cents	50	
				61 92
22	Franck Taylor	1 American Almanac of 1837, 13 of 1839	14 00	
	Joseph Justice & Son	12 pounds Irish wax, \$18; 2 reams O. & H. 4to post, \$11	29 00	
	Smith & Robinson	1 bottle black fluid, 62 cents; 1 ream note paper,		
	Beale & Greene	\$5 25	5 87	

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M. V. 20091  
B. D. 18019

London Quarterly, No. 114, \$2 25; 6 reams extra  
note paper, \$31 50

33 75

Subscription for Knickerbocker, 1839

5 00

Vathake's Political Economy; Carlyle's French Revo-  
lution

7 00

4 reams English satin letter paper, \$26; 2 reams O.  
& H. 4to post, \$11

37 00

1 card Pardee's pens, 88 cents; 6 numbers National  
Portrait Gallery, \$6

6 88

Guizot's History of Civilization, \$2; Edinburg Re-  
view, No. 130, \$3

5 00

Stewart's Sandwich Islands, \$1 75; 3 Guatemala,  
\$2 25

4 00

Phantasmion, \$2; Gordon's Digest, \$7 50

9 50

15 American Almanacs of 1840, bound

20 62

F. Masi & Co.

Repairing clock

177 62

23 Dan. Appleton

Forbes's California, \$3 50; Jewett's Narrative, 50 cts.

7 50

24 L. Peabody

65½ pounds sperm candles, at 45 cents; 2 boxes, at 25

4 00

26 Geo. Lamb

5 mail bags, 26 by 18

29 97

Jos. K. Boyd

Putting down 2 carpets

25 00

6 crimson tassels and cords for blinds

4 00

Taking up and cleaning carpet

2 00

Making, binding, and putting down carpet in library

1 50

Matting for room on lower story, \$2 62½; altering and

6 81½

putting carpet on do., \$2 50

5 12½

Putting down 12 carpets

24 00

Putting up curtains in 4 rooms

20 00

Removing furniture, altering and putting down car-  
pet, &c.

12 00

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1839,				
October 28	H. Haines - -	Subscription to American Constellation 1 year -	\$1 00	\$5 00
31	Baltimore & O. Railroad Co.	Transportation from Baltimore, and charges on 1 box -	-	1 84
Nov. 1	Z. McIntire - -	Copying extract from map of Texas -	-	10 00
	J. G. Adams - -	Postages to agent - -	-	69
11	Benjamin Parke - -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	81 00
	George Bancroft - -	Map of Canada - -	-	40 12
12	William Clark - -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	81 00
14	E. H. Roper - -	Mending fire shovel and stand and andiron -	-	1 50
15	Fr. Naylor - -	Air heating stove, \$29; setting up, pipe and elbow, \$1 50 -	-	30 50
16	Schooner Samuel - -	Freight and charges on 3 packages from Boston -	-	2 50
21	J. Burchenal - -	1 copy Antiquities of America - -	-	6 50
	Penn & Eliot - -	Louisville Public Advertiser 1 year - -	-	10 00
	W. Simons, jr. - -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	81 00
	Stephen Shinn & Co.	Freight and charges on 97 boxes documents to New Orleans and Mobile - -	-	79 34
23	Jos. K. Boyd - -	1 hair seat sofa - -	\$60 00	
		Altering and putting down carpet - -	1 50	
		Paid for dying curtains - -	12 37	
		Making, trimming, and putting up 3 sets curtains -	18 00	
		6 iron rests for curtains, \$3; 3 sets poles, \$3; 15 brass ornaments, \$7 50 - -	13 50	
		Papering screen, new under cloth, paper, and border -	12 00	
25	B. D. Howard - -	Publishing laws, &c., 3d session, 25th Congress -	-	117 37
	M. A. Shaaff - -	Copying correspondence of legation at Madrid, 30,000 -	-	81 00

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26	D. Clagett	words English, \$30; 400 words French, 60 cents -	-	30 60
		4 embossed muslin curtains, \$24; 4 gilt knobs, \$5 -	29 00	
		6 pieces tape, \$1 12; 3 pieces silk loops, \$12 -	13 12	
		35½ yards silk fringe -	39 65	
				81 77
				18,181 74

*Statement of expenditures from the fund for the contingent expenses of the northeast Executive building, including fuel, oil, labor, and repairs, from the 1st of December, 1838, to the 30th of November, 1839, inclusive.*

Date.	To whom paid.	Object of expenditure.	Amount.	Total.
1838.				
Dec. 3	C. L. Coltman	Repairs to pavement around the building, including hydraulic cement and sand	-	\$8 00
7	William Orme	6 large mats	-	4 50
8	S. H. Taylor	Materials and setting stove in watchroom	-	4 00
	W. Robbins	2 men 1 day clearing off snow	-	2 00
18	P. Robbins	4 men 1 day, and 4 men ½ day, clearing off snow	-	6 00
24	James Birth	Dressing 21 feet, 4 inches, cornice, north side of roof, for new gutter	\$5 33	
		Cutting groove in cornice, south pediment	5 00	
				10 33
28	F. J. Murphy	Putting round in ladder	12½	
		Putting on spring to baize door	18½	
		Hanging sash No. 13	25	
				56
31	P. Robbins	6 men 1 day, and 4 men ½ day, clearing off snow	-	8 00
	L. Richardson	Care of privy, 4th quarter, 1838	-	30 00

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Date.	To whom paid.	Object of expenditure.	Amount.	Total.
1839.				
Dec. 31	B. Birch	Taking off 20 pairs stops to sashes, putting on strach to lock, and easing a blind door - - -	\$0 37½	
		Cord to sash in rooms 7 and 8 - - -	1 00	
		Rehanging blind door, 50 cents; cord to 3 sashes, \$1 50	2 00	
		Putting up range of 5 privies, with panel doors -	60 00	
		Moving ladder rack, and putting up 5 water closets -	11 75	
		Staples, pulleys, and green cord to 39 windows -	20 75	
		Repairing outside blind, 75 cents; taking off and putting on hinge, 37½ cents - - -	1 12½	
		Putting on 2 door locks - - -	50	
				\$97 50
	F. J. Murphy	Laborer, wages 4th quarter, 1838 - - -	-	90 00
	D. O'Driscoll	Laborer, watching attic 4th quarter, 1838 - - -	-	90 00
	Th. Robbins	Laborer, wages 4th quarter, 1838 - - -	-	90 00
	George McDuell	Carrying mails to and from Post Office and Capitol, 4th quarter - - -	-	62 50
1839.				
January 2	E. H. & C. H. James	Wick, \$1 63; oxalic acid, 50 cents; sulphur, 6 cents	2 19	
		Turpentine, 63 cents; chloride soda, 50 cents; soda, 31 cents - - -	1 44	
		Chimney (for lamp) - - -	25	
				3 88
4	C. Buckingham	Ash box, 26 pounds, at 42 cents, \$10 92; handles and feet, \$3 - - -	-	13 92
7	E. Lindsley	1 lamp, 25 cents; 3 large hair brooms, \$3 75 -	4 00	
		1 pair hedge shears, \$2 50; 1 hatchet, \$1 - - -	3 50	

		3 pounds nails, 24 cts.; 1 pulley, 20 cts.; 2 padlocks, \$2	2 44	
		2½ pounds sash cord, \$1 12; shutter fastenings, 12 cts.	1 24	
		1-6 inch closet lock - - - - -	75	
				11 93
17	W. Hurley - - -	5 men clearing off snow, 1 day each - - -	-	5 00
21	J. H. Goddard - - -	5 pounds soap - - - - -	-	50
	Delaware Coal Company, per G. McDuell - - -	2 tons 850 pounds coal, at \$8 - - -	-	19 04
26	John Kenen - - -	Sweeping chimneys - - - - -	-	9 40
30	C. P. Sengstack - - -	Painting watchroom - - - - -	6 00	
		Painting cupola to clockhouse ½ - - - - -	6 00	
		Glazing—4 lights 16 by 24, and 1 light 12 by 16 - - -	6 62	
		Painting engine and stopping leaks - - - - -	6 00	
				24 62
31	Clement Woodward - - -	2 chimney tops and setting - - - - -	17 00	
		Lining and repairing passage stove - - - - -	6 00	
				23 00
February 1	G. McDuell - - -	Carting 15 loads rubbish from cellar - - - - -	-	3 75
	C. L. Coltman - - -	Repairing openings for the admission of sweeps, and setting up stove in No. 10 - - - - -	1 50	
		New brick backs in Nos. 1 and 11 - - - - -	6 00	
		Repairs to 1 stove, and 1 grate in Nos. 5 and 13 - - -	2 00	
		34 fire brick, \$2 12; resetting Franklin stoves, \$9 - - -	11 12	
		Materials, \$1 50; repairing 4 grates and materials, \$4 - - -	5 50	
				26 12
2	W. Hurley - - -	7 men clearing off snow, 5 hours each - - - - -	-	4 37
20	E. H. Roper & Co. - - -	Lamp iron for wall, \$2 50; fitting key, 25 cents - - -	2 75	
		Lamp iron for post, band, &c. - - - - -	4 00	
		Altering lock and extra key - - - - -	75	
		12 keys - - - - -	6 00	
				13 50

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Date.	To whom paid.	Object of expenditure.	Amount.	Total.
1838.				
Feb. 25	William Hurley	6 hours work removing trees	-	\$0 75
	W. Robbins	2 loads earth for trees and cartage	-	50
March 6	D. Hauptman	3 glasses in lantern, 37½ cents; fixing 2 blowers, 75 cents	\$1 12½	
		2 new lamp tops, \$2; 6 tunnels, 75 cents	2 75	
		1 lamp glass, 25 cents; 1 lantern, \$1 25	1 50	
		Painting lantern, 37½ cents; fixing lamp and 3 glasses, 75 cents	1 12½	
		Mending 4 lamps, 50 cents; altering lamp handles, 37 cents	87	
				7 37
7	J. D. James & Co.	2 pounds candles	1 00	37
	Thomas Robbins	Paid for wire and leather for trees	-	44
8	Joseph Mattingly	29½ bushels charcoal	2 00	2 95
16	John Peake	72½ bushels charcoal	5 80	5 80
19	J. L. Peabody	33 gallons winter oil, at \$1 12½	37 12	37 12
29	G. W. Cecil	23½ bushels charcoal	2 11	2 11
April 1	L. Richardson	Care of privy, 1st quarter	30 00	30 00
	F. J. Murphy	Wages as laborer, 1st quarter	90 00	90 00
	Thomas Robbins	Wages as laborer, 1st quarter	90 00	90 00
	D. O'Driscoll	Watching attic story, 1st quarter	90 00	90 00
	George McDuell	Carrying mails from 1st January to 18th March	53 47	53 47
	F. J. Murphy	Furnishing screws, and putting lock on gate	25	
		Furnishing ring for pruning knife, and sharpening same	50	
				75

2	George H. McDuell	-	Carrying mails to and from the post office, from 19th March to 31st inclusive	-	-	9 15
4	Richard Sullivan	-	30 bushels charcoal	-	-	2 70
5	S. G. Kneller	-	$\frac{1}{2}$ peck clover seed	-	-	1 63
8	William Orme	-	32 pounds sperm candles, \$12 80; box 25 cts.	-	-	13 05
9	J. L. Peabody	-	2 casks winter sperm oil, 342 gallons, at \$1 18	403 56	-	
		-	Deduct for cash, \$6 06; for casks, \$3 42	9 48	-	
						394 08
12	E. Thompson	-	52 bushels charcoal	-	-	4 68
15	D. Buckley	-	Cartage of oil casks	-	-	50
25	E. H. Roper	-	Opening lock, fitting 9 inch key, and large staple	1 25	-	
		-	New handle and teeth in rake	50	-	
		-	1 spindle, screws, and key to lock	1 00	-	
		-	Taking down, repairing, and putting up lightning rod	6 00	-	
		-	Furnishing 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ pairs window catches; putting in 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ pairs	4 31	-	
		-	Putting eye and horn to lightning rod	1 50	-	
						14 56
27	Elzey Thompson	-	65 bushels charcoal, at 9 cts.	-	-	5 85
29	George H. McDuell	-	Carting 11 loads rubbish from cellar	-	-	2 75
May 2	Thomas Jones	-	31 bushels charcoal	-	-	3 10
	John Potkins	-	83 $\frac{1}{2}$ bushels charcoal	-	-	6 68
4	S. Killman	-	15 bushels white sand	-	-	3 00
	John Landic	-	Carting sand	-	-	25
9	Thomas Jones	-	31 bushels charcoal	-	-	3 10
13	Raphael Norris	-	Wheeling and putting in wood $\frac{3}{4}$ day	-	-	75
14	Delaware Coal Company	-	30 tons peach mountain coal	-	-	187 50
	Edward Todd	-	Freight on 30 tons coal	-	-	41 25
15	Thomas Jones	-	58 bushels charcoal	-	-	5 80
	H. Peacock	-	10 $\frac{1}{2}$ bushels charcoal	-	-	9 67
	John Toban	-	3 $\frac{1}{2}$ days packing wood	-	-	3 50



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Date.	To whom paid.	Object of expenditure.	Amount.	Total.
1839.				
May 15	A. Somerville	Sawing 50 cords oak wood	-	\$25 00
	E. H. Roper	2 braces for gates, 32 pounds, \$4; 2 plates for fence, 75 cents	\$4 75	
		Unhanging and raising gate	50	
		Bar for stricker of gate	1 00	
		Mortising 2 stones, leading in 2 catches for bolts, and putting in stop for gate	4 00	
16	Morris Thompson	82½ bushels charcoal	-	10 00
	Thomas Jones	53 bushels charcoal	-	7 42
	John Buchanan	Whitewashing stairways, passages, and portico	-	5 30
	Elijah Dow	¾ day putting in wood	-	20 00
	William Robbins	6½ days putting in wood	-	75
17	John Thomas	1 day putting in wood	-	6 50
	Isaac Jarboe	2 days at wood and coal	-	1 00
18	Harvey Handy	1¾ days putting in coal	-	1 00
	Robert A. Beall	91½ bushels charcoal	-	1 75
	Charles Coles	6¼ days putting away wood and coal	-	8 23
	John Thomas	3½ days putting away wood and coal	-	6 25
20	George H. McDuell	Cartage, wharfage, scowage, and delivery of 30 tons coal	-	3 50
	Samuel Killman	16 bushels white sand, delivered	-	19 42
22	C. Cole	½ day getting out fine coal	-	4 00
25	George H. McDuell	Cartage, 3 loads rubbish from cellar	-	50
27	William Orme	½ dozen painted buckets	-	75
	E. Waters & Co.	50 cords oak wood, at \$4 45	222 50	1 87

			15½ cords hickory wood, at \$5 50	-	86 62	309 12
	30	A. Somerville	-	Sawing 15½ cords hickory	-	9 84
		A. Shepherd	-	200 bushels Richmond coal	-	66 00
	31	David Blackburn	-	7 days at wood and coal	-	7 00
June	1	R. A. Beall	-	66½ bushels charcoal	-	6 65
		E. Thompson	-	65 bushels charcoal, and putting in	-	6 10
	4	R. A. Beall	-	85 bushels charcoal	-	8 50
		George H. McDuell	-	Carrying mails from 1st April to 31st May, inclusive	-	41 66
		Thomas Robbins	-	Soap, 33 cts.; cloverseed 42 cts.; man putting in coal, 25 cents	-	1 00
	7	E. Thompson	-	88 bushels charcoal, and putting in	-	8 17
	8	R. A. Beall	-	72½ bushels charcoal	-	7 25
	22	C. P. Sengstack	-	Glazing 6 lights, 14 by 22	9 00	
			-	Glazing 1 light, 12 by 14	50	
			-	Washing 92 windows, \$28 75; glazing 1, 14 by 22, \$1 50	30 25	
	24	E. H. Roper	-	Putting steel on pick	-	39 75
	26	E. Waters	-	5 cords hickory	-	38
		F. J. Murphy	-	Laborer, wages to 31st May	-	27 50
	30	A. R. Locke	-	Laborer, wages from 1st to 30th June	-	60 00
		T. Robbins	-	Laborer, wages 2d quarter	-	30 00
		A. Somerville	-	Laborer, wages 2d quarter	-	90 00
		D. O'Driscoll	-	Sawing, putting in, and packing 5 cords hickory	-	5 00
July	1	L. Richardson	-	Watching attic 2d quarter	-	90 00
	16	V. Harbaugh	-	Care of privy 2d quarter	-	30 00
	17	C. Woodward	-	2 dozen lamp wicks	-	50
			-	Cleaning and putting up 3 sets stove pipes	1 75	
			-	4 lamp shades, \$6; 110 feet tin pipe, \$16 24	22 24	
August	1	Eliza Butler	-	Scouring privies	-	23 99
			-		-	1 50

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Date.	To whom paid.	Object of expenditure.	Amount.	Total.
1839.				
August 2	E. H. Roper -	Fitting 12 keys to 6 locks -	-	\$2 25
8	John Wilson -	Handle to hatchet -	-	25
14	W. D. Bugbee -	6 days services as laborer -	-	5 87
August 17	Thomas Robbins -	5 pounds of soap -	-	50
21	John Keenan -	Sweeping chimneys -	-	6 90
	Catharine Roshe -	Scouring passage and washing 4 windows -	-	2 00
Sept. 4	B. Birch -	Baize strip on window -	\$0 37½	
		Lamp post, \$6 50; impost to door, \$1 -	7 50	
		Repairing and putting on a lock, 25 cents; easing sash, 25 cents -	50	
		2 strackers to door lock, putting on beads and lock plate -	50	
		Repairing baize door and Venetian blind -	75	
		Shortening cord and fixing bead to window-sash -	50	
		Window bar, rehanging door, easing window -	87½	
		Hanging 5 sashes, \$1 75; repairing pulley and easing door, 75 cents -	2 50	
		Putting on braces, irons, and easing gates -	2 00	
		Easing window and hanging sash -	75	
		14 feet, 2 rail fence, cap and turnstile -	5 75	
		Hanging and easing sash, 75 cents; 5 window bars, \$1 87½; fitting old ones, \$1 -	3 62½	
		Hanging sash, 50 cents; 2½ pounds cord, and hanging 6 sashes, \$3 25 -	3 75	
		Repairing 4 blind doors, \$3 50; taking off and putting on 6 locks, \$3 -	6 50	
		Screwing door, fitting key, and putting on lock -	62½	

			Hanging door, 50 cents; 3 window bars, \$1 12 $\frac{1}{2}$	1 62 $\frac{1}{2}$	38 12
12	C. P. Sengstack		Glazing 1 light, 16 by 22	1 50	
			Painting passage and staircase, woodwork and walls	165 00	
			Painting blind doors, lower passage	20 00	
			Painting part of columns and base of portico	18 00	
30	A. R. Locke		77 day wages as laborer		204 50
	Thomas Robbins		Wages as laborer, 3d quarter		75 33
	D. O'Driscoll		Wages as laborer, 3d quarter, watching attic		90 00
	L. Richardson		Care of privy, 3d quarter		90 00
October 7	D. Hauptman		Mending lamps, 62 $\frac{1}{2}$ cents; 2 lantern glasses, 25 cts.	87 $\frac{1}{2}$	30 00
			Oil can, \$1 25; oil pot, 31 cents	1 56	
			2 lamps, \$1; 2 glasses in lantern, 25 cents	1 25	
			Mending lamps, 37 $\frac{1}{2}$ cents; 4 tin caps for lamps, 50 cts.	87 $\frac{1}{2}$	
			2 lamp glasses, 25 cts.; lamp top, \$1; dipper, 25 cts.	1 50	
			Lamp glass and glasses in lantern	37 $\frac{1}{2}$	
			Mending spouts, \$1 75; 2 dippers, 25 cents	2 00	
				8 43	
			Cr. By 58 pounds old copper	7 25	
18	William Robbins		Setting lamp post, 50 c.; 7 $\frac{3}{4}$ days' clearing off leaves, \$7 75		1 18
	E. H. Roper		Mending lock, 37 $\frac{1}{2}$ cents; hooks on ladder, \$1 75		8 25
22	W. Orme		12 straw mats		2 12
24	J. L. Peabody		65 $\frac{1}{2}$ pounds sperm candles, at 45 cts.; boxes, 50 cts.		9 00
Nov. 12	Henry Tilley		3 days' labor clearing off leaves		29 97
	William Robbins		3 days' labor clearing off leaves		3 00
15	A. Somerville		7 days' sawing wood		3 00
					10 50
					3,393 49

*Statement of expenditures from the fund for the contingent expenses of foreign intercourse, from the 1st of December, 1838, to the 30th of November, 1839.*

Date.	To whom paid.	Object of expenditure.	Amount.	Total.
1838.				
Dec. 6	F. B. Ogden, consul at Liverpool.	Postages and portorage on despatches to legations and consulates, 3d quarter - - -	£2 17 1	
		Repairs to despatch bags - - -	16 6	
		Times and Globe to 30th September - - -	3 11 6	
		Commission at 5 per cent. - - -	7 3	
			7 12 4	
	R. R. Hunter, consul at Cowes.	Postages on letters from department - - -	0 7 4	\$33 85
		Commission - - -	1 4	
			0 7 8	
				1 70
26	George W. Montgomery, bearer of despatches to Guatemala.	Paid his draft, deducted from the amount of his account, settled the 15th of September, 1838, (see House Document 3, p. 52, 3d Sess., 25th Congress)	-	500 00
28	W. D. Jones, consul at Mexico.	Box at Post Office to 31st December, 1838 - - -	\$12 00	
		Postages on letters to and from the department, and various consulates from 25th January to 28th June, 1838 - - -	44 68	
		Subscription to Diario del Gobierno five months - - -	12 50	
		Stationery for forwarding despatches - - -	13 44	
		6 copies Cosmopolita - - -	94	
		El Iris, \$1; advertising, \$2 - - -	3 00	
				86 56



Dec.	29	N. S. Benton, U. S. District Attorney, N. D., N. York.	Compensation and expenses while employed as an agent to collect and transmit the facts and circumstances relative to the destruction of the steamboat Caroline : Compensation 21 days, from 21st January to 10th February, 1838, inclusive - - -	126 00	
	33		12 $\frac{3}{4}$ days' board and lodging at Buffalo - - -	25 50	
	33		Wood for office, \$2 12; expense of taking and copying affidavits, \$7 37 $\frac{1}{2}$ - - -	9 49 $\frac{1}{2}$	
			Postages paid - - -	50	
			Stage and railroad fare from Little Falls to Buffalo, and back - - -	32 80	
			Expenses on the road - - -	11 37 $\frac{1}{2}$	
					205 67
1839.	31	B. Birch - - -	9 boxes for legations, 21 by 17 inches, and 14 deep, with iron hooping - - -		12 60
January	5	Luther Tucker - - -	Publishing correspondence between the Secretary of State and Governors, &c., of New York, Vermont, and Michigan, respecting neutrality - - -		6 00
	14	Clarke & Briscoe - - -	60 $\frac{3}{4}$ yards cotton, (for despatch bags) - - -	7 59	
			6 cotton balls - - -	12	
					7 71
February	2	John McDuell - - -	20 arms United States for consulates - - -		220 00
	5	S. A. Prentiss - - -	Making 61 bags for despatches - - -		6 10
		J. C. Haswell - - -	Publishing letters from the Secretary of State to the Governors of New York, Vermont, and Michigan - - -		6 00
		J. B. Feraud, consul at Panama.	Postages on public despatches from 1833 to 1838 - - -		114 50
	12	J. J. Bedient - - -	Paid expenses on boxes for consulates - - -	4 67	
			Paid expenses on despatches - - -	10 76	
			Paid for stationery, \$1 50; exchange reading room, \$2 50 - - -	4 00	

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Date.	To whom paid.	Object of expenditure.	Amount.	Total.
1839,				
Feb. 12	J. J. Bedient	Compensation for receiving and transmitting despatches 1 quarter to 1st February	\$200 00	\$219 43
13	J. W. Parker, consul at Amsterdam.	Postages on despatches for consuls at Rotterdam, Munich, Elberfeld, and Frankford, florins, 5.40	2 16	880 00
		Commission	10	2 26
20	E. Bartlett, consul at Lima	Paid for painting arms of the U. S. for consulate	-	40 00
21	F. B. Ogden, consul at Liverpool.	Compensation for receiving and transmitting despatches, 6 months	-	222 22
	F. B. Ogden, consul at Liverpool.	Paid postages, portorage, and expenses on despatches 4th quarter, 1838	£13 2 3	75 00
		Times and Globe, 4th quarter, 1838	3 11 6	502 01
		Myer's Mercantile Advertiser, 6 months	10 0	500 00
		Commission	17 2	80 20
			18 0 11	22 63
22	Rob. de Ruedorffer, consul at Munich.	Postages from 16th December, 1834, to August 20, 1837	-	-
23	E. L. Rainals, consul at Elsinure.	Postages from 5th Sept. to December 31, 1837, rlds.	23 12	-
		Commission	1 15	-
		rlds.	24 27	13 02

March	1	Joseph Ayton, vice consul at Carthagena.	Duties paid on flag and seal for consulate	-	-	11 05
	5	W. T. Tucker, consul at Bermuda.	Duties on press, flag, and seal	\$	10 62	
			Freight on press, flag, and seal	-	3 00	
			Cost of flag-staff	-	45 00	
			Postages to 31st December, 1838	-	9 30	
			Commission at 5 per cent.	-	3 40	
	6	W. D. Jones, consul at Mexico.	Postages on despatches to and from the department	-	56 43	71 32
			Newspapers, pamphlets, proclamations, laws, &c.	-	25 68 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	
			Stationery for transmitting despatches	-	31 31 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	
			Advertising	-	1 00	
	7	George McDuell -	Cartage and freight on two boxes for consuls -	-	-	114 43
		J. W. Cooke -	Expenses from New York to Washington and back, while in charge of despatches	-	40 00	1 50
			Expenses in Washington, 1 day	-	3 00	
	12	Franklin Litchfield, consul at Puerto Cabello.	Freight, duty, and charges on flag	-	1 44	43 00
			Postages, 72 cents; commission, 11 cents	-	83	
	15	George McDuell -	Cartage and freight on 1 box for consulate	-	-	2 27
	18	W. W. Andrews, consul at Malta.	Postages on letters via Malta (14), and on 2 from the department	-	-	1 00
		John Parrott, consul at Mazatlan.	Postages on sea despatches from Valparaiso and Lima, and franking across the country from 1st July to 31st December, 1838	-	-	14 84
	23	Daniel Brent, consul at Paris.	Postages from 27th July to 31st December, 1838	frs.	5 50	49 62
			Moniteur, 6 months	-	15 00	
			National, 6 months	-	32 00	
			Galignani's Messenger, 6 months	-	56 00	

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Date.	To whom paid.	Object of expenditure.	Amount.	Total.
1838.				
March 23	Daniel Brent, consul at Paris.	Journal des Debats to 1st June - - - Expenses on flag, fr. 5 85; New Year's Gift, fr. 34 - Stationery for despatches, fr. 15; commission, fr. 10 16	frs. 40 00 39 85 25 16	104 81
		frances Equal to	213 51	\$42 70
30	Reuben G. Beasley, consul at Havre.	Postages in 1838 - - - Oil cloth, wrapping paper, &c. - - - Havre Journals - - -	1,395 79 100 00 19 00	
			1,514 79	
		At francs, 4 70 to the dollar		322 29
April 3	John McDuell - - -	Painting arms of United States for consulates, (20) -	-	220 00
8	Helmich Jansen, consul at Bergen.	Flag, seal, and arms of United States silv. Spa. Postages on letters from and to the department, 1838	\$56 00 22 24	
			78 24	
		At 1 12 per dollar		83 79
	C. D. Arfwedson, consul at Stockholm - - -	Postages on letters to and from the department during 1837 and 1838 - - -	-	32 69
18	R. P. Waters, consul at Zanzibar.	Consular seal, \$10; flag, \$10 - - - Flag-staff - - -	20 00 12 00	
				32 00
19	George H. McDuell - - -	Cartage and shipping 5 boxes for consulates - - - Paid freight - - -	50 2 50	
				3 00

June 22	R. R. Hunter, consul at Cowes.	Postages on letters from department - cent -	2 89	304 88
		Commission -	14	3 03
April 23	J. M. Baker, late consul at Rio de Janeiro.	Seal 40 reals; flag 36 reals	76 000	
		Commission 5 per cent.	3 800	
			79 800	
May 7	J. M. Baker, late consul at Rio de Janeiro.	At 1 300 reals to the dollar		61 38
		Postages on despatches to and from the department, from March, 1832, to September, 1834	28 000	533 38
		Postages on account of packages received per the brig New York, and transhipped on board the United States schooner Boxer	4 800	
July 31		Commission	1 640	
			34 440	
		At 1 300 reals to the dollar		26 48
8	J. G. McCall, consul at Tampico.	Postages on despatches from 1st October to 31st December, 1838		17 68
	John J. Bedient	Paid boatage and portorage on despatches	7 51	
		Paid expenses on boxes for consuls	8 62	
		Paid expenses on boxes for President and Dept. of State	1 75	
		Paid for facilities by Exchange Reading Room	2 50	
		Compensation for receiving and transmitting despatches one quarter	200 00	
				220 38
9	George H. McDuell	Cartage on 2 boxes for consulates, 50 cts.; freight, \$1	-	1 50
16	W. P. Faherty	Paid carriage, 1 box to railroad	-	13
18	J. M. Baker, late consul at Rio de Janeiro.	Personal attendance and services at Rio, receiving and transshipping 24 packages, consigned to E. Roberts, agent of the United States in the Indian Ocean	29 87	



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1839.				
May 18	J. M. Baker, late consul at Rio de Janeiro.	Postages in 1833, and 1834, omitted in former account, \$11 92; commission 59 cents	\$12 51	\$42 38
	Thomas Wilson, consul at Dublin.	Postages on letters and books from October, 1831, to January 1, 1839	26 39	
	F. B. Ogden, consul at Liverpool.	Paid postages and delivery of despatches to and from the department, legations, and consulates	£9 6 9	
		Times and Globe, 1st quarter, 1839	3 11 6	
		Commission	12 11	
			13 11 12	60 26
April 21	W. C. H. Waddell	11 pieces fine scarlet bunting	93 50	
		9 pieces bleached bunting	72 00	
		4 pieces blue rattinet, (112 yards)	56 00	
		Packing and cartage, \$1; bills lading, 25 cts.	1 25	
		Commission on \$211 30	10 57	233 32
May 22	G. H. McDuell	Cartage, &c.; 1 box for consulate, 50 cts.; freight, 50 cts.	-	1 00
25	J. G. Schwarz, consul at Vienna.	Postages to and from the department, &c., from 1829 to 25th February, 1839	185 33	89 06
28	P. W. Snow	Storage on 15 packages, received per the U. S. ship Peacock, from 15th December, 1836, to 30th October, 1838, and transshipping per ship York for New York, \$253 57; exchange at 20 per cent.	-	304 28

	30	Dudley Walker	Postage, paid to Fitch & Co., of Marseilles, on packages received and forwarded for Secretary of State and consulates, from November, 1837, to July, 1838	22 69
June	5	W. D. Jones, consul at Mexico.	Postages on despatches to and from the department and consulates, 1st quarter, 1839	40 32
			Box at Post Office	6 00
			Newspapers—El Cosmopolitee, Diario del Gobierno, El Iris	16 00
			Advertising, \$2; stationery for transmitting, \$36 12	38 12
			Bill for blank certificates	11 00
				111 44
		Paul Froberville, consul at the Isle of France.	Postages in November and December, 1819	1 13
	25	G. H. McDuell	Cartage, &c., 1 box for consulate, 50 cts.; freight, 50 cts.	1 00
	28	Blair & Rives	Newspapers for legations (The Globe)	101 89
July	2	N. P. Trist, consul at Havana.	Postages from 1st July to 31st December, 1838	32 12½
			Boat hire, with despatches, &c.	4 50
			Report and Price Current, 6 months	7 00
			Diario de la Habana and Noticioso y Lucero, 6 months	24 00
			6 numbers Memores de la Re. Sociedad	6 00
			Commission at 5 per cent.	3 67½
				77 20
	9	F. Gardner, consul at the Cape de Verd Islands.	Flag for consulate	17 25
			Commission	86
				18 11
	10	R. G. Beasley, consul at Havre.	Postages, franking, and carriage of despatches, from 6th January to 31st March, 1837	frs. 281 40
			Postages, franking, and carriage of despatches, from 1st October to 31st December, 1836	277 65
			Francs, 559 05, at fr. 5 05 to the dollar	110 70

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Date.	To whom paid.	Object of expenditure.	Amount.	Total.
1838.				
July 13	George H. McDuell	Cartage, shipping, and freight on 2 boxes for consuls -	-	\$1 50
24	J. J. D'Wolf, consul at Sydney	Postages on documents from the Department of State and Minister at London, \$2 31; commission, 11 cents	-	2 42
31	Th. R. Gray, consul at Trinidad de Cuba.	Arms, United States, in January, 1838	\$13 50	
		Postages 1 year, \$3 50; commission, 85 cts.	4 35	17 85
Aug. 12	John J. Bedient	Expenses of bringing up, and cartage of despatches for quarter ending 1st August	14 07	
		Expenses on boxes forwarded to consuls	8 64	
		Information and facilities at Exchange Reading Room	2 50	
		Compensation for receiving and transmitting despatches, one quarter	200 00	225 21
August 13	P. Froberville, consul at St. Lories, Maritius.	Postages, 4th quarter, 1838	5 52	
		Freight of books, \$1 25; commission, 33 cts.	1 58	7 10
14	E. L. Rainals, consul at Elsinore.	Postages from 1st July to 31st December, 1837, rbd.	9 1 2	
		Postages in 1838	11 0 2	
		Rbd. 20 1 4, at $1\frac{3}{4}$ to the dollar	\$10 83	
		Commission on 1st item	24	11 07
	George Moore, consul at Trieste.	Annual statement of trade, 1838 and 1839	5 76	
		Commission	28	6 04

16	Benjamin Renshaw, consul at La Guayra.	Freight and duties on seal, press, flag, and arms -	5 93	
		Commission -	29	
				6 22
21	F. B. Ogden, consul at Liverpool.	Paid for portorage and delivery of despatches 2d quarter Times, Globe, and Advertiser -	£6 1 4	
		Padlocks for despatch bags -	4 1 6	
		Commission -	2 8 0	
			12 6	
		£13 3 4, at 46½d. per dollar -	-	67 96
		Compensation for receiving and transmitting despatches six months -	-	222 22
	John Parrott, consul at Ma- zatlan.	Postages, and franking despatches from 1st January to 30th June -	\$48 00	
		Commission -	2 40	
				50 40
23	T. H. Barker, consul at Antwerp.	Freight and expenses on seal and arms U. S., -	flor. 3 08	
		Freight and expenses for consulate at Elberfeldt -	6 94	
		Postages to 31st December, 1838 -	13 01	
		Altering and repairing seal press -	9 92	
		Commission -	1 65	
		Florins, 34 60, at 40 cts. -	-	13 84
26	R. G. Beasley, consul at Havre.	Postages on despatches from 1st January to 30 June, 1839 -	frs. 517 15	
		Oil cloth, wrapping paper, &c. -	50 00	
		Havre Journal to department sundry times -	10 00	
		Francs, 577 15, at 4 60 per dollar -	-	125 46
31	W. C. Bryant & Co. -	10 copies Semi-weekly Evening Post for legations -	-	40 00
	J. A. Simpson -	Making 29 flags for consulates, at \$8 -	\$232 00	
		Paid freight, &c., on bunting -	2 28	
				234 28

## STATEMENT—Continued.

Date.	To whom paid.	Object of expenditure.	Amount.	Total.
1839.				
Sept. 3	T. Dennison, consul at Bristol.	Postages, 8s. 6d.; commission, 5d., £0 8 11, at par -	-	\$1 98
4	Balaam Birch	20 boxes for consulates, 21 by 17, by 5½ inches -	\$16 00	
		23 boxes for legations, 21 by 17, by 14 inches -	31 62	47 62
7	P. H. Delano, consul at Concepcion.	Flag for consulate - - - - -	25 81	
		Commission - - - - -	1 29	27 10
11	M. Burrough, consul at Vera Cruz.	Postages, and franking despatches to 30th June, 1838 -	40 43	
		Postages, and franking despatches to 31st Dec., 1838 -	74 57	
		Placing a flag-staff, making flag, &c. -	19 47	134 47
14	M. Burrough, consul at Vera Cruz.	Postages to 30th June, 1839 - - - - -	166 31	
		Commission on \$166 31, \$8 31; on 134 47, at 2½, \$3 28 - - - - -	11 59	177 90
Sept. 14	N. P. Trist, consul at Havana.	Box at post office 1 yr., \$6; price current 6 mos., \$7 -	13 00	
		Postages to 30th June, 1839 - - - - -	22 50	
		Noticioso y Lucero, Diario de la Habana, 6 mos. each -	24 00	
		6 Nos. Memores de la Re. Sociedad - - - - -	6 00	
		Registro de Legislacione Ultra Mar. & Appendix -	6 00	
		Commission - - - - -	3 57	75 07
	D. Brent, consul at Paris -	Postages 6 months to 30th June - - - - -	frs. 13 05	
		Stationery for forwarding despatches - - - - -	35 00	
		Porterages to legation - - - - -	14 00	



		Moniteur Parisien, National Archives du Commerce & Galignani's	203 00	
		Commission	13 25	
			278 30	52 17
21	Joshua Dodge, consul at Bremen.	Freight, &c., on 2 boxes for his consulate, and that at Frankfort on the main	-	1 05
October 10	George H. McDuell	Cartage and freight on 4 boxes for consuls	-	2 50
11	F. S. Myer	Printing treaty with the Netherlands, 4 pages	-	9 00
17	S. R. Blackler, consul at Tahiti.	Seal, flag, and arms for consulate	\$50 00	
		Exchange	12 50	62 50
19	Th. H. Barker, consul at Antwerp.	Postages from 1st January to 1st June, 1839, and commission	-	1 68
	John W. Parker, consul at Amsterdam.	Expenses of sending a letter from the department to the legation at the Hague	12 00	
		Flag, staff, and lines for the consulate	60 00	
		Postages from 1st January to 1st June, 1839	1 90	
		florins	73 90	29 56
22	Franck Taylor	American Almanacs for legations, 1839 and 1840	-	48 00
	F. Masi & Co.	6 pairs silver gilt clasps for treaty boxes	-	84 00
Nov. 21	Seth Sweetser, special mes- senger with treaty from Ecuador.	Expenses of travelling from Guayaquil to Washington city, and back to Baltimore	\$384 62	
		Per diem compensation 66 days, at \$6	396 00	780 62
25	Alex'r. Thomson, consul at Glasgow,	Postages from 18th October, 1838, to 30th April, 1839, £1 1 8, at \$4 82	-	5 22

## STATEMENT—Continued.

Date.	To whom paid.	Object of expenditure.	Amount.	Total.
1839.				
Nov. 25	W. D. Jones, consul at Mexico.	Postages 2d and 3d quarters, 1839 - - -	\$47 55	
		Stationery and blank books for business of legation, and forwarding despatches - - -	28 00	
		Stationery and blank books suspended from accounts in 1837 and 1838 - - -	10 88	
		Newspapers Diario del Gobierno & El Iris - - -	10 50	
		Copy of Map of Bay of Upper California - - -	2 50	
			99 43	
		Deduct item erroneously charged in account paid 5th June, 1839 - - -	11 00	\$88 43
Nov. 29	Francis B. Ogden	Postages and delivery of despatches for the legations and the department, 3d quarter - - -	£6 8 3	
		Newspapers - - -	3 11 6	
		Flag, £3 6 0; flag-staff and fixing, £4 2 0 - - -	7 8 0	
		Printed envelopes for despatches - - -	8 0	
		Commission on £17 15 9, at 5 per cent. - - -	17 9	
			18 13 6	
		At 45½d. to the dollar - - -		98 50
			512 30	7,136 77

NOTE.—Accounts for the abovestated expenditures to the end of the third quarter of the year have been settled with the approbation of the President. Those subsequent to that date will not be so settled until after the expiration of the fourth quarter. There has not been any expenditure settled on the certificate of the President.

In addition to the payments contained in the above statement, advances have been made, one at this department to a special agent to Guatemala, who has not yet returned; and, one at the Treasury for expenses of a special mission to the Republic of Ecuador; the accounts for which, when received and settled, will be embraced in the next annual statement.

*Statement of expenditures from the fund for the contingent expenses of all the missions abroad, paid at the Department of State, from the first of December, 1838, to the 30th of November, 1839, inclusive.*

Date.	To whom paid.	Object of expenditure.	Amount.	Total.
1839.				
June 22	C. P. Sengstack - -	Lettering 6 boxes for legation at Mexico - -	- -	\$3 00
July 10	Reuben G. Beasley, consul at Havre.	Postages for the legation at Madrid for the 3d and 4th quarters, 1835, and the year 1835 - -	- -	35 52
August 7	Reuben G. Beasley, consul at Havre.	Postages for the legation at Madrid for the year 1834, and 1st and 2d quarters, 1835 - -	- -	77 04
				<hr/> 115 56

*Statement of the contingent expenses of the Department of State, from November 30, 1838, to November 30, 1839, made from the accounts which have been rendered to the Fifth Auditor of the Treasury, other than those which have been rendered to him by Edward Stubbs, its agent, viz :*

For amount paid by Andrew Stevenson, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at London, from July 1 to September 30, 1838, for books, reviews, newspapers, and postages	£10 14 0
For amount paid by Andrew Stevenson, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at London, from October 1 to December 31, 1838, for books, reviews, newspapers, atlases, state papers, postages, deal boxes for packing, wrapping paper, shipping charges, cartage, and freight	49 15 6
For amount paid by Andrew Stevenson, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at London, from January 1 to March 31, 1839, for books, reviews, newspapers, atlases, deal boxes, cartage, freight, and postages	12 04 6
For amount paid by Andrew Stevenson, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at London, from April 1 to June 30, 1839, for books, reviews, newspapers, atlases, postages, deal boxes, cartage, and freight	21 19 10

*Statement of payments which have been made on account of the contingent expenses of foreign intercourse, other than those made by the agent of the Department of State, on accounts settled by the Fifth Auditor of the Treasury, from November 30, 1838, to November 30, 1839, viz :*

To Commodore Jesse D. Elliott, for expenses incurred by him for the passage of William B. Hodgson, as bearer of despatches from the Secretary of State to Mr. Leib, United States consul at Tangier, and for expenses to Paris, and back to Havre, &c., with despatches to Mr. Livingston, per report No. 4,683	\$327 50
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*Statement of the contingent expenses of all missions abroad, from November 30, 1838, when last reported to the Secretary of State, to November 30, 1839, so far as the accounts show, that have been received at the office of the Fifth Auditor of the Treasury, viz :*

Henry Wheaton, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at Berlin :

For amount of his contingent expenses from January 1, 1838, the period to which his accounts were received when last reported, to December 31 of said year, the period to which they have been received and adjusted, consisting of postages, stationery, expenses of translations, and office furniture - - - - - \$746 09

Edward Kavanagh, chargé d'affaires at Lisbon :

For amount of his contingent expenses from October 1, 1838, to June 30, 1839, consisting of postages, newspapers, stationery, presents to menials, portorage, and binding books - - - - - 229 80

Richard Pollard, chargé d'affaires to Chili :

For amount of his contingent expenses from April 1, 1838, to June 30, 1839, consisting of postages, newspapers, portorage, stationery, office seal, transportation of books, and office furniture - - - - - 284 92

Lewis Cass, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at Paris :

For amount of his contingent expenses from July 1, 1838, to June 30, 1839, consisting of postages, newspapers, office rent, stationery, fuel, candles, office furniture, transportation, and presents to menials - - - - - 695 44

Charles G. De Witt, late chargé d'affaires to Guatemala :

For amount of his contingent expenses from June 14, 1838, to April 12, 1839, consisting of postages, stationery, newspapers, books, and expenses of guard to his house during a tumult, for a military escort to Chamaquin, and special messenger to Ysabel - - - - - 222 86

Virgil Maxey, chargé d'affaires to Belgium :

For amount of his contingent expenses from April 1, 1838, to March 31, 1839, consisting of postages, newspapers, portorage, and presents to menials - - - - - 134 67

Cornelius P. Van Ness, late Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at Madrid :

For amount which has been allowed to him for contingent expenses from the commencement of his mission, in 1829, to December 21, 1836, (in addition to the sum of \$703 12, which was stated in last year's report,) in part of the amount of \$11,728 75, which was disallowed and suspended from his credit for want of proper vouchers, consisting of postages, stationery, books, office furniture, illuminations, arms of the United States, and Christmas presents - - - - - 6,536 30



## STATEMENT—Continued.

John G. A. Williamson, chargé d'affaires at Caraccas : For amount of his contingent expenses from October 8, 1838, to June 30, 1839, consisting of postages, stationery, newspapers, and freight	\$233 31
William Hunter, chargé d'affaires at Rio de Janeiro : For amount of his contingent expenses from June 16, 1838, to June 30, 1839, consisting of postages, stationery, por- terage, newspapers, books, translations, and presents to menials	425 56
George M. Dallas, late Envoy Extraordinary and Min- ister Plenipotentiary at St. Petersburg : For amount of his contingent expenses from April 1, 1838, to July 29, 1839, consisting of postages, stationery, news- papers, presents to carriers and menials, and a sum of \$18 75 for a carriage and four to Peterhoff, for an au- dience of leave by appointment of the Emperor	911 34
James Semple, chargé d'affaires to New Granada, (Bogota) For amount of his contingent expenses from July 1, 1838, to March 31, 1839, consisting of postages, freight, por- terage, office furniture, newspapers, painting the arms of the United States, and binding books, less \$353 25, disallowed of the sum of \$777 81, reported last year	88 18
Auguste Davezac, late chargé d'affaires to Holland : For amount of his contingent expenses from the com- mencement of his mission, in October, 1831, to July 13, 1839, consisting of postages, stationery, newspapers, transportation, presents to menials, maps, blank books, almanacs, and rent of chancery for safe keeping of the archives of the Legation	1,278 47
Christopher Hughes, chargé d'affaires at Stockholm : For amount of his contingent expenses from July 1, 1837, to September 30, 1838, consisting of postages, stationery, freight on books and documents, printing passports, ex- penses of translations, newspapers, and presents to me- nials	558 61
Henry A. Muhlenberg, Envoy Extraordinary and Min- ister Plenipotentiary to Austria : For amount of his contingent expenses from April 10, 1838, to June 30, 1839, consisting of postages, stationery, newspapers, blank books, office furniture, freight on books, transportation, office seal, and portorage	472 90
Enos T. Throop, chargé d'affaires at Naples : For amount of his contingent expenses from October 2, 1838, to June 30, 1839, consisting of postages, stationery, newspapers, portorage, and presents to menials	333 66
Alcée Labranche, chargé d'affaires to Texas : For amount of his contingent expenses from September 18, 1837, to September 30, 1839, consisting of stationery, office furniture, freight on books, and office seal	661 89

## STATEMENT—Continued.

John H. Eaton, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at Madrid :

For amount charged by him for contingencies from the commencement of his mission, in 1836, to June 30, 1839, consisting of stationery, postages, fuel, newspapers, house rent, office furniture, coach hire, books, pictures, wages of an office messenger, carpeting, and exequators of consuls

\$2,677 00

NOTE.—Many of the items charged being of an unusual character, will not be allowed in the adjustment of the Treasury. Mr. Eaton has been written to on the subject.

Powhattan Ellis, chargé d'affaires to Mexico :

For amount of his contingent expenses from March 13 to May 4, 1839, consisting of postages, stationery, and binding books

511 62

James C. Pickett, chargé d'affaires to the Peru Bolivian Confederation, (Quito) :

For amount of his contingent expenses from July 1 to September 30, 1838, consisting of books and stationery, purchased in Washington

60 67

Andrew Stevenson, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at London :

For amount of his contingent expenses from July 1, 1838, to June 30, 1839, consisting of postages, stationery, portage, office rent, books, presents to menials, and wages of an office messenger

2,386 16

19,449 45

Loss in exchange as follows, viz :

On the bills remitted to Messrs. N. M. Rothschild & Sons, United States bankers at London, between November 21, 1838, and November 30, 1839

\$16,409 98

On the drafts of Mr. Dallas, late Envoy, &c., to Russia, on said bankers, from August 1, 1837, to July 29, 1839, charged by him

454 04

On the drafts of Mr. Hunter, chargé d'affaires at Rio, on the Secretary of State, from June 16, 1838, to June 30, 1839

1,489 80

On the drafts of Mr. Muhlenberg, Envoy, &c., to Austria, on said bankers, from April 10, 1838, to June 30, 1839

82 15

18,435 97

Deduct therefrom, gained by Mr.

Cass, Envoy, &c., at Paris, on his drafts on bankers

\$77 98

## STATEMENT—Continued.

This sum gained by Mr. Davazac,			
on bankers	-	-	\$1,226 48
And this sum gained by Mr. De			
Witt	-	-	116 67
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			\$1,421 13
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			\$17,014 84
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		Dollars	36,464 29